

NINETEENTH DISTRICT.

Galveston, Brazoria, and Matagorda counties; Galveston the returning county.—Andrew Phelps McCormick, of Brazoria, Brazoria county, was born in Brazoria county, Texas, December 18, 1832; graduated at Centre College, Danville, Kentucky, in June 1854, and commenced the practice of law, at his present place of residence, 1855; served in the Confederate army during the war, principally in this State; was Chief Justice of Brazoria county in 1865, '66; member of the Constitutional Convention of 1866, and also of the Convention of 1868, '69; was judge of the Eighteenth Judicial District from 1871 to 1876; elected to the Senate, fifteenth February, 1876, as a Republican over Hon. C. L. Cleveland, Democrat, of Galveston, by a majority of about 700 votes. Term expires November, 1880.